

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-9. (Canceled)

10. (Currently Amended) A hand tool with spirit level functionality comprising:

(a) a plastic molded web having a recess defined by a peripheral wall with a pair of opposite vial supports, each said vial support having a lower lug and an upper lug, said vial supports and said lugs being integrally molded with said peripheral wall;

~~(b) for snugly receiving~~ a cylindrical level vial that can be snugly received lengthwise and diameterwise by said lugs therein; and

(c) [[(b)]] a pair of annular retainer clips that can be slidingly displaced along said level vial,

each said retainer clip having a pair of diametrically opposite notches so as to provide a sliding mounting on a corresponding one of said [[a]] vial supports,

each said upper lug and said lower lug of each of said pair of vial supports terminating in a widened tip,

and each notch of said pair of retainer clips having a narrow neck which widens into ~~terminating in~~ a horseshoe shaped recess such that a retainer clip can be snap fitted onto a corresponding one of said lugs of said vial supports so as to securely mount ~~for securely mounting~~ said level vial in said web.

11. (New) A spirit level comprising:

(a) a plastic molded web having a recess defined by a peripheral wall with a pair of opposite vial supports, each said vial support having a lower lug and an upper lug, said vial supports and said lugs being integrally molded with said peripheral wall;

(b) a cylindrical level vial that can be snugly received lengthwise and diameterwise by said lugs; and

(c) a pair of annular retainer clips that can be slidingly displaced along said level vial,

each said retainer clip having a pair of diametrically opposite notches so as to provide a sliding mounting on a corresponding one of said vial supports,

each said upper lug and said lower lug of each of said pair of vial supports terminating in a widened tip,

and each notch of said pair of retainer clips having a narrow neck which widens into a horseshoe shaped recess such that a retainer clip can be snap fitted onto a corresponding one of said lugs of said vial supports so as to securely mount said level vial in said web.